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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend paragraph 0025 as follows:

Also included within the DEMIDL package is a FilterRep class 140 450, a ListenerRep class 150 and an EventRep class 160. Each of the FilterRep class 140 450 and the ListenerRep class 150 are used by the ISource interface 110. The FilterRep class 140 450 enables the event listener 20 to get called only when a desired type of event occurs. The FilterRep class 140 450 can be used as a single class or can be subclassed. The ListenerRep class 150 is a callback object that allows the event source 10 to fire an event to the event listener 20. The EventRep class 160 is the base event that is delivered to the event listener 20 from the event source 10, and is utilized by the IListener interface 120. The ListenerRep class 150 is also in communication with the IListener interface 120, so that the ISource interface 110 can determine when to fire an event to the event listener 20 from the event source 10. The IName service interface 130 is in communication with the ISource interface 110, and the IName Service interface supports the number of APIs as shown.

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Also, at the beginning of the Claims section, please make the following amendment: CLAIMS: WHAT IS CLAMED IS: